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Offered by:

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(As Amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A")

"AN ACT DECREASING THE TIME FRAMES FOR URGENT CARE ADVERSE DETERMINATION REVIEW REQUESTS."

After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (Effective October 1, 2014) Not later than July 1, 2015, the 4 Insurance Department shall report to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to 5 insurance concerning the reduction of the time period to forty-eight 6 hours for a health carrier to make a determination under subdivision 8 (1) of subsection (c) of section 38a-591d of the general statutes, as 9 amended by this act, or subdivision (1) of subsection (d) of section 38a-10 591e of the general statutes, as amended by this act, or for an 11 independent review organization to render a decision under 12 subparagraph (C) of subdivision (1) of subsection (i) of section 38a-13 591g of the general statutes, as amended by this act. The department 14 shall analyze whether such change in the time periods resulted in an

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15 increase in denials of claims and if so, whether such increase is

- 16 attributable to the failure of a covered person, a covered person's
- 17 representative or a covered person's health care professional to
- 18 provide information necessary for a health carrier to make a

19 determination."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Sec. 501	October 1, 2014	New section